

The Adair County News.

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COLUMBIA, ADAIR COUNTY, KENTUCKY, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 6, 1917.

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Personals.

Mr. A. C. Loy, of Olga, was here at the lot sale.

Mr. Smith Gill wrestled with the mumps last week.

Messrs. J. W. Flowers and Fred Hill were in Louisville Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. Goff, Monticello, is visiting relatives in Columbia.

Mrs. Rose Strange, Glenville, has been very sick for some days.

Dr. Jas. Taylor, wife and mother, went to Louisville last Friday.

Mr. Coy E. Dudgeon, of Lebanon, was in Columbia last Saturday.

Mr. Geo. McMaham made a business trip to Green county last week.

Mrs. Eliza Wilson, of Hodgenville, is visiting relatives in Columbia.

Mr. J. L. Goodman, Glasgow, spent a few days in this place last week.

Mr. Guy Stevenson returned from Georgetown College last Sunday night.

Miss Nellie Follis, who has been teaching in Oklahoma, has returned home.

Mr. J. N. Gillenwater and son, of Tompkinsville, were here a few days ago.

Miss Thetis Williams who has been teaching in Oklahoma, returned home last week.

Mr. R. E. Stewart, Lexington, made a business trip to Columbia last Thursday.

Mr. R. L. Campbell, who is in the revenue service, is at home for a short time.

Miss Mary Lucy Lowe, who has been teaching in Allensville, has returned home.

Mr. B. E. White, Bowling Green, made a business trip to Columbia a few days since.

Miss Zella Pelley, who taught in the High School, Barbourville, is at home for the summer.

Miss Thomasine Garnett, who has been in school at Williamsburg, returned home last week.

Mr. J. F. Bledsoe and Mr. L. S. Guthrie, of Amundaville, were here a day or two of last week.

Mrs. Cecil Ramsey arrived from Monticello last Friday night and will remain until the Chautauqua closes.

Mr. M. F. Sparks, of Edmonson, and Mr. Herbert Sparks, of East Fork, were here, looking for stock last week.

Dr. R. A. Jones, wife and little daughter, Cincinnati, are spending several weeks with Dr. Jones' parents, two miles out of town.

Dr. P. H. Conover, wife and baby, Mt. Vernon, Ky., are visiting at the home of Mrs. Conover's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Smith.

Mrs. R. A. Myers and son, Robert Page, of Monticello, arrived last Thursday night and will remain until the Chautauqua closes.

Mr. B. H. Skaggs, of the Greensburg bar, was here last Wednesday, on legal business. He was accompanied by Mr. Dawson Warren, of near Greensburg.

Miss Irene Murrell, of Craycraft, accompanied her cousin, Mr. Walter Murrell, to Champaign, Ill., where she will spend a month at the home of her uncle, Mr. H. A. Murrell.

Mr. Leon Lewis, who is employed at Toledo, Ohio, reached home last Thursday for a two week's visit. He appears to be in fine health. All his young friends were glad to see him.

Mr. R. D. Judd left Saturday for Georgetown, to attend the Commencement exercises in Georgetown College. From there he will go to South Bend, Ind., where a position has been offered him.

Mr. Ray Montgomery went to Louisville last week to consult physicians about his physical condition. Mrs. Montgomery accompanied him, and from Louisville she went to Warren county to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Hancock, who have been living in Elida, N. M., and who reached Columbia last week, left Friday for Hustonville, Lincoln county, where they will locate on a farm owned by Mrs. Hancock's mother. They will not be strangers to that locality, as Mrs. Hancock was reared in Lincoln county, and in the past Mr. Hancock was a frequent visitor.

Just received a big lot of Porch swings at Casey Jones Store.

31-2t

A chauffeur's licensed tag has been left at this office, No. 272. Call and pay 20 cents.

Mr. Jas. T. Page lost a very valuable horse last Thursday night. It sickened and died.

Next Monday the Chautauqua will open. A very large crowd is expected from all adjoining counties.

Call at T. E. Waggener's for Porch swings.

31-2t

Circuit court is now in its third week, and will probably continue until Saturday.

All Royal Arch Masons, in regular standing, are urged to attend an important meeting next Friday night.

Have you seen those Davenports at Murray's Store.

This is registration day and the boys are coming in quite lively. Polls are opened at all the voting precincts in the county.

Monday was county court, but on account of two weeks of circuit court preceding, it brought but few people to Columbia.

On and after this date, May 14, 1917, hair cutting, shampoos, massages and singeing will be 25 cents at all times.

Walter Sullivan,
29-1m

Asa Loy.

The grand jury for the present term of circuit court was in session eleven days. During the session it returned fifty-two indictments.

Chautauqua at Columbia will open next Monday, June 11th. Read the interesting features published in The News. Buy a season ticket.

My line of ladies and misses white shoes and slippers, also patent leather slippers at greatly reduced prices.

If dwellings are built on all the lots sold in the Fair Grounds addition last Thursday there will be a considerable town in East Columbia. Fifty-seven building lots were sold.

The Union Central Life Insurance Company will loan money on farm lands on twenty year plan and save you big interest on same. See C. C. Carroll agent for loan.

30-tf Columbia, Ky.

Mr. J. W. Richards, of this place, grew and sold fifty gallons of strawberries besides what was used and put up at home. He grew some berries, one hundred and thirty making a gallon.

Mr. John E. Davis, who was a native of Taylor county, died at Bengal, Ind., recently. He was a sister of Mrs. Susie Page, Cane Valley, this county. He was in his forty-fifth year.

I am opposed to consolidation of schools where it is not practicable and where it would put children too far from school. If it be practicable at any point and the people want it, then I would favor it.

Tobias Huffaker.

Wolford Bros., Casey Creek, who are enterprising citizens, have purchased a large truck which will be used in hauling goods from depot at Campbellsville to the business men of the Casey Creek section.

The Senate readily confirmed the appointment of Gen. Percy Haly to become the Collector for the Seventh Kentucky district. Haly's appointment was secured by the influence of Senator J. C. W. Beckham.

Ratio Blades, who lived in Metcalfe county, two miles from East Fork, killed himself last Friday by taking paroxysm. After he took poison he tried to stab himself with his knife. He was about 22 years old, and unbalanced.

I keep on hands a full stock of coffins, caskets, and robes. I also keep Metalic Caskets, and Steel Boxes and two hearse. We keep extra large caskets. Prompt service night or day. Residence Phone 29, office phone 198.

45-1 yr J. F. Trippett,
Columbia, Ky.

Jo Harris was turned down by the Board of Examiners at Louisville, last week. He was rejected on account of being flat footed. Albia Eubank, Ed Hill and young Franklin passed, and were sent to Fort Thomas for training. Mr. Edgar Reed who had heretofore been accepted for the officers' reserve corps, accompanied the young men to Louisville with the view of volunteering provided he could be transferred to the reserve corps later. The arrangement could not be made and he returned home Monday night, and will likely be called in August.

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A United States flag now floats from the end of a pole seventy-five feet high, on the Post-office corner. The flag was purchased by subscription, and Dr. Jas. Triplett secured the pole and directed, with assistance, the raising of same.

Prof. Ivan McDougle, who is very kindly remembered here, has been appointed an Intelligence Officer in the Army Medical Corps, from Massachusetts, and expects to sail for duty in France in a short time. His present address is Richmond, Ky.

In the case of Ed Morgan against Lee Grant and others, suing for damages, claiming that Mr. Grant had sold him hogs infected with cholera, the jury gave the plaintiff one hundred dollars, each side paying its own cost. The suit was brought for \$1,000.

Mr. Rich Dillon, Breeding, a young man well-known in Columbia, underwent an operation, in Louisville, last Friday, for appendicitis, and when Dr. H. B. Simpson, who accompanied the young man to the hospital, left the city, the patient was doing reasonably well.

The high wind that struck Columbia, last Friday morning, tore a hole, twenty-feet long in the tent of the Williams Stock Company that played here for two weeks. The company left for Campbellsville Sunday, and will play there a week. It is a clean show and gave satisfaction here.

Will Young is now a chauffeur for Mr. W. E. Noe between Columbia and Campbellsville. He meets all trains and is one of the safest drivers on the road. He is a good driver, and when he tells you what time he will reach a given point, you may depend on his word. The traveling public delight to ride with him.

Mr. Bryan Garnett, son of Mr. H. B. Garnett, was notified ten days ago that he had passed the civil service examination. Since he received his papers he has been offered several important positions, in the service of the government. He is a very capable young man and will make good in anything he undertakes.

Mr. Edgar Reed, who had already been accepted as qualified to enter the service of "Uncle Sam," left for Louisville Wednesday of last week, to be sworn in and assigned to duty. Messrs. Albia Eubank, Jo Harris, this place, and Ed Hill, Gradyville, accompanied him for examination. Others will probably follow this week.

Mr. Logan Lawless, who lived at Eastern, Mo., and who visited his brother, D. Lawless, at Denmark, Russell county, died one day last week. He was forty-four years old, and was a victim of pulmonary trouble. His remains were conveyed to his Missouri home for burial. He was a farmer and a native of Russell county.

In the destructive fire which visited Atlanta, Ga., last week, Mr. Lynn Rhorer's handsome and costly residence was caught and destroyed. There was some insurance, but not enough to cover the loss. Mr. Rhorer is a son of Hon. M. H. Rhorer, and was born and reared in Columbia. He is a nephew of Mr. M. Cravens, this place.

Phelps Bros. and Bennett & Graham, stock dealers, of this place, in the last six months, have received one hundred thousand dollars for hogs shipped and sold on the Louisville market. It is estimated that the chickens, turkeys and eggs, shipped by the different poultry dealers out of the county, to the city markets, in the same length of time, brought a much larger sum.

Notice to the public.

I am now prepared to extract teeth by the use of Somoform which is considered the safest anaesthetic known. If in need of Dental work give me a call.

Dr. H. W. Depp.

31-3t

The corrupt practice act passed by the last Legislature is very severe on a man who tries to buy his way into office. No candidate for a city or county office can spend or have his friends spend for him more than \$500, and each candidate shall make oath as to the amount spent. If it should exceed \$500, the candidate nominated shall forfeit his title to the office, and be fined not less than \$100 nor more than \$1,000. And any corporation that contributes to the campaign of any candidate is subject to a fine of \$1,000.

Mr. J. H. Judd, who was charged with padding the tax books, while he was acting as deputy sheriff, under Mr. S. H. Mitchell, was given a trial in the Adair circuit court last week and acquitted. His many friends will be glad to learn of the verdict of the jury. J. F. Montgomery, L. C. Winfrey and Ray Montgomery represented the defense. A. A. Huddleston and Gordon Montgomery the Commonwealth.

Mrs. Cora Wisdom, who was the wife of J. W. Wisdom, and who lived near Breeding, died recently. She was 37 years, three months and seven days old. She was a devoted Christian woman, and was known as a friend to all the people of the neighborhood. Besides her husband, she left four children, who have the sympathy of the entire community. The funeral and burial were largely attended.

Attorney General M. M. Logan resigned his position to become a member of the tax Commission. Mr. Charles Morris will succeed him as Attorney General. He is the present assistant Attorney General. Mr. Logan takes a position that pays about \$500 less per annum than the Attorney General's office, but his fitness for the Commission and the insistence upon the part of his friends ruled his action.

Arthur Waggener Gunn, who was a prominent citizen of the State of Washington, was accidentally killed by his automobile upsetting recently. He was fifty-one years old. His mother, before her marriage, was Miss Catherine Waggener, and in her young days was well-known about Columbia. She is an aunt of Mr. Mont Cravens. The deceased was a favorite nephew of Dr. Arthur Waggener, who died in Columbia five years ago.

Notice.

I have at my place, two miles north of Purdy, a red and white spotted heifer. Owner can get her by paying for this notice and her keeping.

32-3t H. O. Corbin.

Public Sale.

On Saturday, the 9th day of June, 1917, all the personal property of the late Mrs. Lou Loy will be sold to the highest bidder, on the premises. The property consists of cows, hogs, farming implements, household and kitchen furniture. Sale to begin at 10 a. m.

Asa Loy, for the Heirs.

Program.

The young ladies will meet with Miss Hyde, at Mr. Myers' residence, June the 6th.

Piano Solo—Alma McFarland. Current Events—Martha Grissom. Solo—Eva Walker. Description of an opera—Marguerite Lovett.

Story—Bonnie Judd. All the young ladies are invited.

For Sale.

A finely bred Jersey cow, with male calf 6 weeks old. Splendid milker, well broken. Price cow and calf \$80.

J. O. Russell.

Married at Lebanon.

Miss Bettie Helm Dohoney, a native of Adair county, sister of Mrs. J. C. Brownling and Mrs. Ray Page, was married in Lebanon, last Wednesday, to Prof. G. H. England, who is principal of the school at Bradfordsville, and a very high gentleman. The bride for several years has made her home with her sister, Mrs. A. D. Purdy, Bradfordsville. The couple will make their home in Bradfordsville. The bride is remembered here as a little girl. She has many relatives scattered over the county of Adair. Her mother was a Yates.

A Small Judgment.

Our readers will remember that some time ago, Mr. Matt Huddleston, who lives in Taylor county, was en route from his home, to the remains of his mother, to Cumberland county, and that an accident occurred on the Sam Murrell Hill, four miles from Columbia—an automobile owned by W. R. Myers & Son—scaring the team that was hauling the corpse, upsetting the hearse, bursting the coffin and disfiguring the body of the dead, and also mashing Mr. Huddleston's nose, as Huddleston claimed. He sued Myers & Son for \$5,000 and last week the case went to trial, the jury rendering a verdict, giving Mr. Huddleston a judgment for five dollars.

Oil Machinery Removed.

The Sunlight Oil Company, of Pennsylvania, quit drilling on Horace Jeffries' farm last week, and have removed to T. P. Dunbar's farm this county, where another well will be put down. On the Jeffries' farm the depth of about seven hundred feet was reached. Oil sand and a small quantity of oil was found. The manager informed The News that he had sufficient evidence that there was oil, in paying quantities in Adair county, and perhaps several wells would be sunk before reaching it. Other companies, so we are informed, contemplate drilling in the country.

Big Decline in Wheat.

Chicago, May 31.—July wheat to-day went under \$2 a bushel and touched \$1.91, which is 89 cents lower than the price which immediately preceded restrictive regulations by the Board of Trade here two weeks ago.

Flour prices have, to a large extent, followed the lead of wheat. No agitation has developed among bakers to reduce bread prices, however.

At the top of the market the 6-cent loaf was advanced to 10 cents, and the 15-cent loaf made its appearance. This was attributed largely to the advance of wheat and flour.

Good crops reports from Texas and Oklahoma were influential in the decline of wheat.

Saved With a Fishing Hook.

Paul Wilson, son of W. E. Wilson, and Willie Wilson, son of Walker Wilson, are first cousins, and they live near Milltown. Their ages are the same, eleven years. A few days ago they went to Russell's creek, to

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce the following Candidates subject to the action of their respective parties:

For County Judge.

Republican WALTER S. SINCLAIR.
 Democrat KINT MONTGOMERY.
 " W. G. ELLIS.
 Republican E. L. SINCLAIR.
 " JUNIUS HANCOCK.
 " G. T. HEBRIFORD.

For County Attorney.

Democrat GORDON MONTGOMERY

For Sheriff.

Republican W. B. PATTISON.
 " CORTEZ SANDERS.
 " GEO. E. NELL.
 Democrat CLYDE CRENshaw.
 " R. M. HURT.

For County Court Clerk.

Republican T. A. FURKIN.
 " JOHN N. SQUIRES.
 " L. Y. GABBERT.
 " S. C. NEAT.
 Democrat ALBERT MILLER.
 " W. H. GILL.
 " GEO. J. EPPERSON

For School Superintendent.

Republican GEORGE AARON.
 " TOBIAS HUFFAKER.
 " P. P. WESLEY.
 Democrat NOAH LOY.
 " MISS ESTELLE WILLIS

For Jailer

Republican JOHN THURMAN.
 " JOHN L. DARNELL.
 " FRANK WOLFORD MILLER.
 " J. C. WOOTEN.
 " A. W. TARTER.
 " G. W. COLLINS.
 " T. G. RASNER.
 Democrat C. G. JEFFRIES.
 " A. H. FEES.
 " JOHN R. CHRISTIE.
 " E. G. McGINNIS

For Assessor

Democrat P. P. DUNBAR.
 " ED BUTLER.
 " R. H. HARMON.
 " EVERETT ALLISON.
 " G. L. PERRYMAN.
 " J. M. TARTER.
 " J. A. SCHULER.
 " L. H. JONES

For Representative

Republican JOE HUDDLESTON.
 " DR. W. S. TAYLOR

Road Tax Law.

The following road law was passed by the extraordinary session of the General Assembly, 1917.

1. The fiscal court of any county in the State may submit to the voters at a special election to be held for that purpose, the question of voting a tax of any sum not exceeding 20 cents on the hundred dollars on all property subject by law to local taxation, under section 157a of the Constitution, for the improvement or construction of the public roads and bridges of the county, either or both, as the fiscal court may direct. The order of the fiscal court calling the election shall specify the amount of the tax to be levied each year and the number of years for which the tax may be imposed, not exceeding ten years, and shall also provide that no amount of money in excess of amount that can be raised by the levy in any one year shall be expended in that year. It may also borrow money in any year, in advance of the collection of the tax for that year, not exceeding 80 per cent. of the estimated tax, and issue bonds therefor, the



VITALE, youngest bandmaster in the world, and celebrated comet soloist, is bringing his Band here for two full concerts, afternoon and evening, third day of the Chautauqua. The band has been pronounced by the New York Times as a "big Broadway sensation," and Vitale was said to be "the idol of the musical world" at Newport. They were the big hit of the 1915 and 1916 Chautauqua seasons. Hear them for a few cents with a Chautauqua season ticket.

Community Chautauqua

Third Day

amount of the tax to be estimated, according to the assessment and collection of the preceding year, but any money so borrowed shall be paid out of the money raised from the tax in the year in which the money is borrowed. So that all indebtedness created in any one year shall be paid out of the fund raised in that year.

2. The fiscal court shall also in the order calling the election specify the amount of ad valorem tax to be levied each year, which shall be any sum not exceeding 20 cents on the one hundred dollars of assessed property.

3. The question to be submitted to the people shall be: "Are you for a property tax of — cents on each one hundred dollars' worth of property in the county, to be levied each year for — years, for the purpose of improving or constructing, either or both, the roads and bridges of the county?" The rate of taxation, and the number of years for which the tax is to be levied to be inserted in respective blank spaces, and two small squares to be placed opposite the question and on the right of same, one for votes for and one for votes against the measure, designated respectively by the words "Yes," and "No."

4. And if a majority of the voters voting upon this proposition are in favor of it, then the fiscal court shall, as soon as the result has been ascertained and certified make provision for the road and bridge work contemplated.

5. The fiscal court shall be held by the same officers who hold the regular election, and the election shall be held and the returns thereof made in the same manner as is provided by law for the regular election.

6. The election above provided for shall be held by the same officers who hold the regular election, and the election shall be held and the returns thereof made in the same manner as is provided by law for the regular election.

7. As there is no adequate system or law by which counties may levy the tax herein provided, and the counties of the State being in need of some immediate aid in this respect, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this bill shall become effective upon its passage and approval.

Approved April 25, 1917.

German Spies.

Admiral Sims, who commands the American flotilla, which crossed the ocean a few weeks ago to aid in the submarine war, has informed the government at Washington that Berlin knew of the departure of his ships and had strewn the Queenstown harbor with mines before the American ships reached there. This work was done by German spies in the United States.

We believe that even more important information than this is liable at any time to be given to Germany unless very stringent steps are taken at once in this country to put an end to German spies. There are no Germans in this country who should not be under suspicion. We refer of course to those who are not American citizens. Germans in the United States who have not become naturalized should either be forced to leave the United States or else they should be gathered together in camps and watched by soldiers. It is more important to guard Germans than it is to guard the railroad bridges. Germany of course has not been able to send spies into this country, but is relying upon

Germans who were here before the United States declared war, acting as spies and furnishing Berlin all the information possible, which would be of the greatest value. There are, in addition to the subjects of the Kaiser, in the United States a lot of so called German-American, who are none too loyal to this country. Some of them are true and

loyal, but there are some who will bear watching. Every man in this country who speaks German should be under suspicion unless his loyalty is known.—E-Town News.

Is the Middle West Apathetic?

In the June American Magazine Booth Tarkington says:

"Apathy of the Middle West? Not now! Not since Bethmann-Hollweg told us that the Germans had only postponed the submarine war until they got the boats to do the job! Not when the flags are up!"

"Apathy of the Middle West! Not to a voice that dares to call! Since the day when the Germans told us that once a week we could send one ship beyond the mouth of the Hudson River, provided three hundred and forty-one green polka dots were painted on the stern, with a yellow streak around the captain's cabin, while all other American ships would stay in port or be blown up—since that day the Middle West has exhibited a liveliness which may surprise the foreign gentleman who said who said he controlled America through 3,000,000 good German-American votes. Since that day in the matter of enlisting in the United States Army, Indiana (for instance) has stood third of all the states in the number of men who have enlisted. But in proportion to the population, this midland State of Indiana, of all the states, stands First!"

Things That Make a Hotel Prosper.

A former member of the United States Senate, who came up from obscurity, says in the June American Magazine:

"Here's a funny thing, by the way, that I've noticed about hotel guests: You leave a soiled towel in a room, and the guest will probably complain. But you can leave a bucket of paint and a paperhanger's scaffold in the hallway, and compel the guest to crawl under a stepladder to get to his room, and he will put up with it cheerfully—because he knows you are painting or papering by way of making an improvement, and he is in sympathy with that. It doesn't cost much to make over a carpet so that a bare spot in front of the dresser will be eliminated, but such little details are a vast help in making a hotel prosper."

"I have had other hotels since then, and invariably my experience has been that of all things that make for hotel success, the greatest is cleanliness."

Bowel Complaints in India.

In a lecture at one of the Des Moines Iowa churches a missionary from India told of going into the interior of India, where he was taken sick, that he had a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy with him and believed that it saved his life. This remedy is used successfully in India both as a preventive and cure for cholera. You may know from this that it can be depended upon for the milder forms of bowel complaint that occur in this country. Obtainable at Pauli Drug Co. Adv

Berlin denies that any U-boats have been sent to America.

Sloan's Liniment for Rheumatism

The pain goes so quickly after you apply Sloan's Liniment for rheumatic pains, neuralgia, toothache, lumbago, sprains, and its so easy to use. It quickly penetrates and sooths without rubbing and is far cleaner and more effective than musky plasters or ointment. Keep a bottle in the house and get prompt relief, not only from all nerve pains but from bruises, strains, sprains, over-exercise and all external aches. At Pauli Drug Co., 25c 50c \$1.00. Adv.

Because of the high price of potatoes this year many home gardeners will plant only eyes or seedlings with a small amount of flesh adhering, using the rest of the tuber for food. The experiment station horticulturists say that this method is successful if the eyes are planted rather shallow, about a foot apart in the row, and in fertile, well-prepared soil.

Six sons of four Cabinet officers and the son of the Speaker of the House of Representatives have already enlisted or are about to enlist with the fighting forces of the United States. Secretary Wilson has three sons, Secretary Daniels one, Secretary Lane one and Secretary Houston one in the various arms of the service. Young Ned Lane is an aviator.

Gen Goethals, the head of the Ship Building Board, has been severely criticized upon his statement that the required number of merchant ships cannot be built of wood and would have to be made of steel.

Mrs. Belva Lockwood, the first woman lawyer admitted to practice in the Supreme Court of the United States and the only woman who was nominated for President, died in Washington Saturday.

Former Prime Minister Balfour, of Great Britain, was given a great ovation at Richmond, where he went to pay honor to the memory of Robert E. Lee and Stonewall Jackson.

The Allies will occupy Jerusalem by June 1, says a London dispatch. The city however is believed to be in ruins. Turkish outrages have been unprecedented, it is said.

Sam Corum, a wealthy farmer of Slaughterville, was killed in an automobile accident near Madisonville and Floyd Gentry, his brother-in-law, was severely injured.

Gen. Percy Haly will be named as Collector of the Lexington district at suggestion of Senator Beckham, as soon as Secretary McAdoo returns to Washington.

The sinking of three ships of Sweden loaded with grain from England by German submarines has caused intense feeling against Germany at Stockholm.

In the steel works at Bessemer the explosion of a turbine engine killed four and seriously wounded eleven others. The cause of the accident is not known.

Gov. Stanley has offered a reward of \$500, the maximum allowed under the law, for members of the mob which lynched a negro at Fulton.

At Grayson, Ky., La Fayette Kitchen was shot to death on his way home from church. Eight men are under arrest charged with the crime.

James A. Hollon, aged 57, is dead in the Rolling Fork section of Boyle. He was for years a saw mill operator and always a good citizen.

Robert S. Lovett, Chairman of the Board of the Union Pacific, has volunteered the whole of his time during the war to the Red Cross work.

The Shipping board has reached a compromise by agreeing to build from 150 to 200 wooden ships and the rest of steel.

LOCALS.

Results of the Examinations.

The following parties received first class certificates:

Hattie Williams, Flossie Calhoun, Joseph M. Pierce, Anna Farris, Ira Powers, Kathleen Willis, Lillian Turner, Sandridge Allison, Roy Walker, Myrtle Huddleston, Everett Allison, Mary Young, Joe Vaughan, Eddie Bryant, Cleo Cave, Annie Christie, Vila Reece, Robert Bailey, Scott Campbell, Stora Hutchison, J. M. Lewis, I. C. Abel, B. B. Wedd, Bettie Lee Butler, Rose Hunn, Allie Calhoun, Mabel Hindman, Eva Murrell, O. B. Pulliam.

The following persons made second-class certificates:

Ada Epperson, Ernest Workmen, Almer Powers, Stella Richards, Lizzie Carter, Willard Neat, Cora M. Montgomery, Charles Harness, Minnie Ingram, Lucy Montgomery, E. D. Roberts, Finis A. Strange, Mattie Barger, Love Richards, Virginia Smith, Harlan Keltner, Anna Allison, Pearl Wolford, Mary Riggins.

Hattie Williams made the highest grade—92 6-11. There were 13 failures.

There were four colored applicants, all of whom received second class certificates. Their names are: Annie Elliott, Mecca L. Burress, Mrs. Besie Lasley and Missouri Milan.

Latest War News.

Emperor William writes the German Emperor that the fighting in France has reached a "certain conclusion." Since April 1 the British have advanced on a front of twenty miles from Loos to south of Bullecourt to an extreme depth of six miles east of Arras. Field Marshal Haig's men have taken Vimy Ridge, dominating the plains to Douai, and have virtually surrounded Lens and St. Quentin and have held their gains against desperate and repeated German attacks, while inflicting heavy losses. More than 1,000 officers were included in the total of 52,000 prisoners captured. Enormous quantities of material were taken from the Germans, including 446 heavy and field guns, 1,000 machine guns and many trench guns.

Forty-six merchant vessels, aggregating 240,779 tons, are restored to the world's carrying trade at a time when they are urgently needed by a decree signed Saturday by President Braz, of Brazil, enabling that country to make use of the German vessels now in its Brazilian ports. Thirty-three of the German vessels are of more than 4,000 tons each and one is of 12,500 tons. This action was the first step taken by Brazil after revoking her declaration of neutrality in the war.

The District Conference

The Columbia District Conference met at Frazier, Wayne county, last week. Nearly all the churches in the district were represented, and there was an unusual number of laymen.

Quite a number of local ministers renewed their license, and two were licensed to preach. The reports of the various members showed an increase in membership. Four delegates, Ed Hill, Robert Mercer, J. P. Smith and W. L. Sawyers, were named to attend the annual Conference. Sermons were delivered by Revs. W. F. Hogard, J. S. Chandler and L. F. Piercy. There were also several addresses. The people of Frazier showed their appreciation of the Conference by their generous hospitality.

Rev. S. G. Shelley presided over the Conference and Rev. L. F. Piercy acted as secretary.

The following resolutions were presented and passed:

Whereas, We are at War with Germany, and not only is there a shortage of food supplies in our own country, but the whole world is threatened with famine, and

Whereas, The liquor traffic is a menace to liberty and free institutions at all times, and much more so in times of war, therefore,

Resolved, By the District Conference, Louisville Annual Conference, M. E. Church, South, representing a membership of about 10,000, that we earnestly petition our Christian President, the Honorable Woodrow Wilson, to use his powerful influence in securing national prohibition.

S. L. C. Coward,
J. S. Chandler,
S. G. Shelley.

Burkesville People Dan Cupids Victims.

Confiding the fact with but few, M. Alexander and Miss Mary Keen, two prominent people of Burkesville, Ky., stole a march on their many friends and were married in this country Friday morning.

Their wedding was romantic as well as unique in as much as the contracting parties procured their license in Burkesville, and in company with their life-long friends, Rev. William Stanley and wife, started in Mr. Alexander's car for Campbellsville. Not

until the Green River Bridge was reached, between here and Columbia, did the groom make public his intentions, and there with all nature smiling its approval and the song birds singing the sonnets of love, Rev. Stanley in his most impressive way pronounced the words that joined their heart and hand.

After the wedding the happy couple together with Rev. and Mrs. Stanley, resumed their journey to Campbellsville, for a few hours stay, after which they returned to their many friends at Burkesville.

The bride is the accomplished daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Keen, and is much loved and admired by a large circle of friends. While the groom is a young man of exceptional good habits and is the present postmaster of Burkesville and whose father is Charles Alexander, cashier of the local bank in that city.

The News-Journal joins their host of friends in wishing them a happy and prosperous wedded life.—Campbellsville News Journal.

To Lower Cost of Food.

Washington, May 30.—Reduction of the present high prices the consumer pays for food, it was announced Tuesday, will be one of the first aims of the new food administration, which will be created with Herbert C. Hoover at its head as soon as Congress passes the Government's food control legislation.

This will be undertaken by cutting down the margin between producer and consumer through a system of executives under the central administration, each to study means of shortening the speculative chain that handles a particular commodity. The first staples to be studied probably will be grain, flour, meat and sugar.

Stability of prices Mr. Hoover believes, is vital to the successful lowering of costs to the consumer, both here and abroad. The executives will have under them boards, on which will be represented producer, middleman and consumer. Their efforts will be in the direction of modification of present trade methods and the stimulation of production.

The system of executive boards will be one of several divisions into which the administration will be divided. One duty of the executives will be to advise on allied purchasing, which Mr. Hoover and the Government officials hope will be removed from a competitive basis when the Allies have established permanent buying commissions here. These commissions are to agree on their minimum food needs for presentation to a central buying commission, who in turn will deal directly with the American food administration.

The food administration through its commodity executives will ascertain just what the country can spare in food staples and this will be balanced off against the allied demands. If stocks available for export do not reach the allied requirements the allied commissioners will settle among themselves their apportionment.

Violent Attacks on French Lines are Hurling Back.

By the Associated Press.

Desperate attempts by the Germans to push back the French from the vantage ground won in the recent attacks by Gen. Petain's forces in the Champagne region have been renewed.

As a whole the French line remained intact under the successive severe blows dealt it early to-day in a sustained effort of an extremely violent and sanguinary character, gas shells being liberally employed. The front was dented at only one point and this but slightly; the Crown Prince's troops gaining a footing in some advanced trenches northeast of Mont Haut.

At the Teton, the Casque, at positions northwest of Auberive and at Mont Blond, on the front against which the attacks were launched, the net German gain was all, the valuable ground which the French need for the pushing of a further offensive, particularly for observation purposes, being retained in tact.

QUIET ALONG BRITISH LINES.

Along the British line in France the comparative quiet continues, broken into only by trench raids. Increasing artillery activity from the Arras battlefield, however, is reported to-day, the big guns on both sides having started up again in somewhat lively fashion near Bullecourt and further north along the Scarpe east of Arras.

The political situation in Spain is being closely watched, particularly in view of to-day's newspaper announcement in Madrid that the Constitutional guarantees would shortly again be suspended. Former Premier Romanones is quoted as declaring that conditions in the country, which is known to be suffering keenly in a general economic way from the war, as well as directly from submarine sinkings, were becoming graver every hour. He considered the recent great meeting of pro-royal sympathizers as of enormous importance and as per-

haps likely to exercise influence foreign than in native policies."

The Chautauqua.

The indications point to this being an unusually successful Chautauqua year and the Community program which is to be given in Columbia for five days beginning next Monday, includes a splendid list of attractions.

Special features of the Chautauqua this year will be: "Patriotic Day," and the Junior Chautauqua for the boys and girls. Many children have already earned the money to pay for their Chautauqua ticket and as a reward will receive a special badge from the playground supervisor on her arrival.

Musically the program this year is exceptionally strong. There will be the IMPERIAL RUSSIAN QUARTET, under the leadership of Josef Losoff. They will sing the songs and play the instruments not only of this country, but of their native land, where they have appeared at Court and at notable gatherings.

Then comes the LORENZ ANDSEN NOVELTY ENTERTAINERS, playing a great variety of instruments and giving a program of unusual merit. All members of the company are of Danish descent and have come from long line of musicians and entertainers.

The THIRD of the Chautauqua will be BAND DAY and there will appear ANGELO VITALE and HIS CONCERT BAND. Master Vitale is the youngest band director in the world. He appeared over the Eastern Circuit of the Community Chautauquas in 1915 and his return was almost unanimously requested. Vitale once played before John D. Rockefeller and at the close of the concert, the oil magnate was so impressed with the lad's wonderful musicianship that he said, "Young man I would give the world to be a director like you." Vitale also played before America's 400 at Newport where his pleasing personality and wonderfully artistic talent won the hearts of the social leaders gathered there. As a result he was entertained by all the leaders of the gay life of Newport and was lionized everywhere. Vitale's Band gives a varied and interesting program ranging from the popular classics to the latest hit of ragtime. One novel feature of their work will be the Avril Chorus which is accompanied by striking electrical effects.

The THERESA SHEEHAN CONCERT CO., will be another interesting number on the program, headed by Miss Theresa Sheehan, dramatic reader of remarkable brilliancy. The CHAUTAUQUA appears one of LOUIS O. RUNNER'S justly celebrated ladies companies, the MENDELSSOHN SEXTETTE, giving a program of vocal and instrumental music, interspersed with readings, sketches and novelty numbers. As they appeared on Patriotic Day, they will have many appropriate numbers and their program will be long remembered in this community.

Basil.

Some of our farmers are laying to plant their corn crop over as it didn't come up.

C. P. Coomer is at Columbia, this week, on the jury.

Mesdames Elmer Yarberry and Glenny Hamilton visited their brothers and sisters at Sparksville, last week.

Miss Ora Yarberry is spending this week at Sparksville.

Born, to the wife of Dewitt Moss, May 21, a daughter. To the wife of Harrison Brown, May 22, a son.

Mrs. Lou Coomer almost mashed one of her fingers off the other day, and it is now giving her a lot of trouble.

The Bennett boys went fishing down on Russell creek, last week, and caught a nice lot of fish.

Bro. Wm. Rowe and his cousin, Mrs. Adaline Gowens, were considerably bruised up by a runaway mule in their buggy, last Saturday afternoon, on their return from church.

Russell Creek.

We have had some good tobacco seasons in this locality, but not much set out.

Some gardens are looking fine.

Aunt Liz Hancock, who has been quite sick, is better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Watson's little daughter, Virginia, is dangerously sick at this writing.

Mr. Dennis Eubank, of Cane Valley, was through this neighborhood, taking oil leases, last week.

Mr. Gus Dunbar, of Neatsburg, was in this locality last Sunday.

Miss Dora Murray was visiting Misses Cara and Rosie Shepherd, near Cane Valley, last Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Morrison, of Greensburg, is visiting Miss Ruth Squires.

Mrs. Charley Keen, of Indiana, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dick Squires and Mrs. Jennie Smith.

Miss Mary Lou Triplett, of Mt. Pleasant, was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Owen Wilson last week.

Art Todd, who has been in Cincinnati for the past two years, returned home last week.

J. P. Cundiff and wife, Dick Squires and Mrs. Jennie Smith were in Campbellsville, last Thursday, on business.

While plowing last week, James Garnett's plow hung under a rock or something and the handle struck him in the side and broke two of his ribs. We hope he will soon recover.

We are having a good Sunday school at Hutchison schoolhouse every Sunday morning at nine o'clock. Now, there are some who are neglecting our Sunday school. We are going to have some new song books, as Mr. Dick Hutchison has ordered them. Now, let everybody come that can, and let's learn some of the new songs, as well as our Sunday school lesson both are good and the word of our master.

Mrs. Chapman and Miss Redmon, of Garlin, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lord Watson last Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Pauline Squires was visiting her sister, at Miltown, last week.

Miss Pearl Cox is quite sick at this writing. Hope she will soon be out again.

Clay Suddarth, who has been confined to his room with rheumatism for the past two years, has got so he can walk to the barn and around the yard. We hope he will soon be well again.

Gradyville.

R. L. Wethington and wife spent a day or so of last week at Clementsville.

Nat Walker, deputy Sheriff, was in our midst last Friday.

Strong Hill and Amos Keltner were at Columbia last Friday attending court.

Mrs. B. B. Grissom, of Columbia, spent last week visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wilmore.

Rev. W. C. Christie and wife, Mrs. C. O. Moss and son, James, left the first of the week for Monticello to attend District Conference.

H. A. Walker was in this section several days of last week, buying wool at fancy prices.

B. B. Janes will erect a new residence on his farm he bought from Geo. H. Nell, in the near future.

Rev. Scott, pastor of Big Creek church, preached two interesting sermons, at the Baptist church, in our city, last Sunday evening and night.

J. J. Parson was in Louisville a few days ago, and bought a full line of wagon material. Jeff certainly understands how to put them up.

Uncle Charlie Yates has two of the finest mule colts in this section of country.

Eugene Wethington, of Clementsville, was in our midst one day last week, looking after his timber interests.

Mr. Cooksey, the well-known man, of Edmonton, is moving his saw mill near this place, preparatory for sawing out a large amount of timber for Hicks & Durham, of Greensburg.

W. L. Grady, while in Columbia last Monday, purchased a Ford auto. This deal makes three machines we have in our town, with the prospects for several more in the near future.

Frank Dohoney, of the Milltown community, was in this section a day or so of last week, looking after young cattle.

Mr. W. B. Hill, who has been on the road for a number of years for Pratt's Stock & Poultry food, who makes Louisville headquarters, came in last Saturday and spent Sunday with his parents. Mr. Hill informed us that he was having a fine business and his house had added his old country and adjoining counties to his list to work.

We had a fine rain one day last week, which revived everything in the way of vegetation. Notwithstanding the cool weather that we have had since the rain, our corn, wheat, oats, grass and garden vegetables have grown beyond our expectations. The only thing we need now is just a few days of hot weather and everything will be fine.

Our people were made to feel sad when the news was made known that Kizzie Grady, wife of Robert Grady, of color, was dead. The news was unexpected to us. While we all knew that she had received a broken limb from being thrown from a buggy, while a horse was running off, we all thought she was getting along as well as could be expected under the circumstances. While they are colored people, they are highly respected and

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have a nice family of children which was fully demonstrated by such a large attendance of both white and colored people, at funeral. They have the sympathy of this community.

Hatcher.

The recent rains have placed a smile on all of the farmers' faces. Vegetation of every kind is revived, and indications point to better crops than the outlook showed a few days ago.

Our county has planted at least 25 per cent., more corn than usual, and there is a fairly good stand. Moles and insects have damaged some fields, but not more so than in former years.

Mr. William Thorp, who has been in Louisville for twelve years, is spending a few days with his brother, C. S. Thorp, this place. He is a mechanic of the first class, but has been unable to work since he was crippled by an express wagon running over him last winter.

Frank Mardis, a lad about 12 years old, was kicked by a young mule last Thursday. He lost some of his teeth, and a hole was cut through his lip. It is rather painful, but the dentist relieved him, and it is hoped that it will not leave his mouth disfigured.

J. F. Campbell has lost 275 chickens by the ravages of rats. He has gone to work with a determination to eradicate them on short notice.

Our market has been bountifully supplied with strawberries this season, of the finest quality. It would be a source of a great deal of revenue if they were raised on a larger scale. Some enterprising person could make it by getting the farmers

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COLUMBIA, KY.**Submarine Situation Better.**

The American destroyer contingent, now with the British fleet, is doing its part in taking some of the sting from the submarine menace. Premier Lloyd George, in the House of Commons on Friday, gave high praise to American aid and said that more effective blows have been dealt the submaaines during the last three weeks than in any corresponding period of the war. As a result he declared, the food situation in Great Britain shows improvement and the present month should show a falling off in the number of submarine victims as compared with April.

Never Neglect a Cold.

A chill after bathing, cooling off suddenly after exercise and drafts, give the cold germs a foot hold that may lead to something worse. Safety requires early treatment. Keep Dr. King's New Discovery on hand. This pleasant balsam remedy allays inflammation, soothes the cough and repairs the tissues. Better be safe than sorry. Break up the cold with Dr. King's New Discovery before it is too late. At Paull Drug Co., 50c and \$1.00. Adv

Milkmen in Louisville are holding a convention in Louisville to consider raising the price of milk.

What a Government Bond Is.

The Government of the United States has two methods of raising money. One is by taxation. The other is by the sale of bonds, which is a method of borrowing money.

The Government bond is the printed promise of the Government to pay back the borrowed sum of money at a certain time, and to pay interest on it at regular intervals until it is repaid.

The Government borrows money in this way only after it has been given the right to do so by act of Congress approved by the President, and the terms of the loan are set out in the act.

Back of the promise of the Government stands the honor of the Government and all its taxing resources. Really the whole wealth of the Nation stands behind this solemn promise of the Government to pay.

This makes a United States Government bond the safest investment in the world. If the bond of the United States Government is not safe, no property in the United States is safe. If the United States can not pay its bonds, it is hardly probable that it will be able to protect the citizens in their other rights. The Liberty Loan Bonds of 1917 are especially attractive investments. Not only have they this absolute safety characteristic of all United States bonds but they are tax free not only from all existing taxes, but from any war tax that may subsequently be levied. No State, city nor county may tax them. The inheritance tax of the United States and of some States may affect them, or rather, affect their transfer after death of the owner by will or by inheritance.

Another advantage these Liberty Loan Bonds possess is that the Government issues bonds later on during this war at a higher rate of interest. The holders of Liberty Loan bonds will be allowed to exchange at par their bonds for bonds bearing the higher rate of interest.

Croup, Whooping-Cough Relieved.

Children's diseases demand preparedness. When the child wakes you at night, gasping and strangling for breath, how thankful you are to have Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey at hand. This effective remedy loosens the mucous and permits free and natural breathing. Its soothing balsams heal the irritated membrane and arrests further inflammation. Pleasant to take. Keep Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey in the house for all colds and bronchial troubles. At Paull Drug Co., 25c. Adv

Shouters and Doers

A year or so ago the supermilitant East sneered at the pacifist Middle West. The subrural valleys and plains were peopled with mollycoddles and slackers, we were told. The Mississippi Valley was a dreary waste of apathy.

We now learn that the highest percentage of volunteer recruits for our Army and Navy is coming from the Middle West.

The agricultural backbone of America is a good, stiff, hardy backbone, to be relied upon for the true Yankee Doodle brand of patriotism.

They are poor shouters out there in the Middle West, but they are great doers.

More power to them.

The relief fund for Mattoon, Ill., has reached \$100,000 and the Red Cross is at work caring for the injured.

A German "Peace Drive."

The New York Times sees, or thinks it sees, Germany getting ready for a new "peace drive." The objects will be twofold, to keep Russia out of the war and to stir up dissension in the United States.

According to dispatches received from various parts of Europe the Kaiser and his advisers are only waiting a cessation of the fighting around Arras to again begin talking about peace. They are said to believe that so long as the British and French armies are making progress it would be useless to propose a peace discussion, but if those armies can be fought into deadlock, the world would be willing to consider new peace proposals.

There is a very simple way to meet a German "peace drive." Let Germany withdraw her armies from Belgium, France, Poland, Serbia and Rumania. Let her call in all her submarines. Then the allied nations would, no doubt, be willing to sanction a truce while peace was discussed. That they would be able to agree with Germany upon terms seems doubtful, but it would be folly to talk peace while Germany is occupying stolen territory.

We do not know what effect vague and treacherous peace proposals would have upon Russia, but we can feel assured that they will avail nothing to check the tide of preparation for aggressive war by the United States. - Louisville Post.

The Evils of Constipation.

Constipation is one of the main reasons why the average human life is below 40 years. Leaving waste material in the body, poisons the system and blood and makes us liable to sick headaches, biliousness, nervousness and muddy skin. When you note these symptoms, try Dr. King's New Life Pills. They give prompt relief, are mild, non-griping in action, add tone to your system and clear the complexion. At Paull Drug Co., 25c. Adv

If by chance a woman does not become a home maker, but enters a business pursuit, she meets unusual difficulties. The man has been in business for generations; the woman is a newcomer. Some employments are closed to her, either because they require too great physical strength or endurance, or because conventional considerations forbid. Americans look with disapproval upon women's working in the fields, as they do in foreign countries; and yet there is much field work that is more interesting, more wholesome and much more suitable than some of the work that American women are allowed to do—such for example, as they do in laundries and in factories. Not only are women considered as invaders in men's fields, but also they suffer because men, invading fields once considered strictly feminine, are becoming dressmakers, cooks, laundry managers and clerks. Moreover, for the same work women receive lower pay than men. Do not those difficulties constitute a compelling appeal to give women in their schooling every possible equipment for success?—The Youth's Companion.

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Of 304 acres, 9 miles from Columbia, on Green river, 1 mile from pike now under construction. 52 acres river bottom. Good dwelling, barn and outbuildings, 2 good orchards. Price \$5,000.

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Obituary.

The death angel visited the home of Mrs. Lou Coomer May 12, 1917, and claimed as a victim her beloved husband, W. C. Coomer.

He had been afflicted for a number of years, and was confined to his bed for six months. All that the loving hands of his dear wife and children, brothers, friends and medical skill that could be done was done, but to no avail.

"Uncle Billy," as he was familiarly called, was a true Christian in every respect. He made friends just as he became acquainted. Always met his friends with a handshake and a smile, having a cheerful word for all.

No conversation was carried on but a short time until he drifted onto the Bible and religious affairs, and he was a great influence for good in any community. He professed religion when quite young and joined the Methodist church. He had been class leader for about ten years, and during that time only missed three appointments until confined to his room.

He was 60 years and 11 months old when the summons came. Was married to Lou Roach in 1876, and to this union was born 16 children—all living but three. There are now two boys and one girl single. These children with their mother are now keeping house at Basil, Ky.

Brother Scott at his request conducted the funeral service, Bro. Rowe, the pastor, being unable to assist as requested.

"Uncle Billie's" father died when he was quite small, leaving him to assist his mother in the struggle to care for a large family, causing him to see a hard time all his life, but through all the cares and struggles of life he would praise the Lord and say to his loving companion, it is for our good. He had visions of heaven through his sickness, and would tell his friends of the grandeur of the visions. He would talk of dying and going to heaven as we would of going to take a trip. He was anxiously waiting the summons of the angel host, and died smiling as he crossed over the river.

We know to-day Uncle Billie is standing at the portals of heaven beckoning to his host of friends to come on and live with father, husband, and brother forever.

A loved one from us is gone,
A voice we loved is still,
A place is vacant in our home
Which never can be filled.

Bertha H. Coomer.

Eye and Temper Savers.

"Those who do fine needle work of any kind," says a writer in the June Woman's Home Companion "will find it advantageous to observe these rules closely:

"1. Do not sit too long at the task. If you wish to spend a day or a half day at it steadily for fifty minutes, and drop the work for the next ten minutes, occupying your time with something else through which the mind may be relaxed. At the end of ten minutes go back to the needlework, again applying yourself to it for fifty minutes, and so continue throughout the entire day.

"2. Always observe closely the rule regarding light direct

tion. Sit with your back almost facing the light, with the latter coming over your left shoulder.

"3. When working with net or fine laces that are white or light colored, wear a black apron that is without gloss, and never wear a dress or apron that has a figure or stripe of any sort in it. Use plain colors as a background for your work, and use colors that are receding, like blue, dark brown or green."

Can't Reform Children by Repri- mand.

In the June Woman's Home Companion Miriam Finn Scott says:

"Too frequently the attitude of the unthinking father is to reprimand or suppress the child, without giving a thought to the possible cause of the child's irritating fault, or a thought to its possible cure. One day at a beach hotel, a small boy began to boast that he was not afraid to walk into the cold water up to his neck. 'Keep quiet, you know you are a coward. Don't say that again!' said his father sharply.

"To be sure, this boy was a coward, and the father was perhaps justly displeased; but by squelching the boy he certainly did very little to help his son conquer his cowardice. In the first place, the father did not realize that perhaps the boy was not born a coward but probably made one through needless suppression, through meaningless 'don'ts.' What he needed now was a stimulus which would encourage him to meet physically that which he only dared face in his imagination; what he needed was sympathy and kindness, and not rebuffs."

Star Spangled Banner.

It is well for us to know about our patriotic songs and our national airs. The most beloved song of all perhaps is the "Star Spangled Banner," our national hymn. Every one should be familiar with the incident of its origin. The author was Francis Scott Key, a young lawyer who lived in Baltimore, Md. During the war of 1812 Mr. Key had a friend, Dr. Beames, who was a prisoner on a British man-of-war.

Desiring to visit him Mr. Key went on board the war vessel, under a flag of truce. Key was temporarily detained and was forced to watch the bombardment of Fort McHenry. While watching the heroic stand of the flag against the incessant firing, the words of the "Star Spangled Banner" came to Mr. Key's mind, and he wrote them in a note book. The flag that inspired Mr. Key was found to be in a very mutilated condition, bearing testimony as to how close the bombs missed tearing the flag from the staff. The flag is now on exhibition in Baltimore and was made by Mrs. Mary Pickersgill, the daughter of Mrs. Betsey Ross, who made the first American flag for Gen. Washington, June 14, 1777.

Forethought.

People are learning that a little forethought often saves them a big expense. Here is an instance: E. W. Archer, Caldwell, Ohio, writes: I do not believe that our family has been without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy since we commenced keeping house years ago. When we go on an extended visit "we take it with us." Obtainable at Paul Drug Co.

CALLED HER FAMILY TO HER BEDSIDE

Six Years Ago, Thinking She Might Die, Says Texas Lady, But Now She Is a Well, Strong Woman and Praises Cardui For Her Recovery.

Royse City, Tex.—Mrs. Mary Killman, of this place, says: "After the birth of my little girl...my side commenced to hurt me. I had to go back to bed. We called the doctor. He treated me...but I got no better. I got worse and worse until the misery was unbearable...I was in bed for three months and suffered such agony that I was just drawn up in a knot..."

I told my husband if he would get me a bottle of Cardui I would try it... I commenced taking it, however, that evening I called my family about me...for I knew I could not last many days unless I had a change for

Department of Public Roads.

While it is universally recognized that the secret of good roads is chiefly one of maintenance, opinion is more generally divided regarding the details of maintenance plans to be followed to secure the best results.

Broadly speaking all maintenance work is done under one of two systems, the intermittent or the continuous system of maintenance. Under the intermittent system an attempt is made to do all the work at one time, and that a very short time, during one or two stated periods of the year. Under this system the roads are allowed to deteriorate and shift for themselves between the periods of repair.

Road defects, when they begin to appear, are greatly accelerated by the action of traffic unless immediately repaired. Neglect of repair seriously impairs the efficiency of the road and detracts from the pleasure of using the road. This has led to the adoption of the continuous system of maintenance rather than the intermittent system in all up-to-date communities where road officials endeavor to conserve the community investment in roads.

The continuous system of maintenance in addition to repairing all defects as they appear, goes a step further and endeavors by well directed and intelligent effort to prevent the formation of defects. This has given rise to the now familiar patrol system, the essential requirements as indicated by the name, being to watch over, inspect and repair. It is just as necessary to inspect a public road at definite intervals as it is to inspect railroads. Continuous inspection and maintenance has long been recognized as essential by all railroads.

Patrolmen are required to report their time to the proper State or county officials and to obtain requisitions from these officials for the purchase of all supplies and materials. Instructions, suggestions and advise are given the patrolmen by a competent maintenance foreman or engineer.

Each patrolman is expected to make a study of his section of the road so that he will know the weak and bad places. Continuous employment and the exercise of good judgment in repairing such places will then greatly add to the ease with which the road can be maintained.

The basic requirement to patrol system success is the continuous employment of a patrolman whose experience and interest is primarily in road work; and the centralization of authority over such patrolmen in a competent engineer or official who is able to plan with confidence systematic improvements which sometimes must wait for successive annual appropriations before being carried out.

In the practical application of the patrol system, each patrolman is assigned to a section of the road varying in length from 4 to 8 miles, depending upon the

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The second prize will be presented to the Most Popular Mother.

The third prize will be presented to the Most Popular Minister.

The fourth prize to the Most Popular Old Maid.

Voting Ballots will be presented with every CASH sale. The Popularity Clerk will take the votes before the customer leaves the store, or customer can mail ballots in cases where they leave without voting. The date of distribution of prizes will be announced some time in June. Voting will begin April tenth.

Everyone is requested to send in the names of Candidates not later than the Seventh. Of course candidates names will be enrolled at any time during the contest, but it is much better to start with the opening sales.

These sales will be of the greatest interest and entertainment to everybody in the five counties. Interesting changes will be introduced in the plans frequently, and constant interest will be kept up till the finish.

ARE YOU WITH US?

Then Send In The Names Of Your Candidates At Once.

Will want not less than Twenty-five Candidates for the Capital prize, to the county. More if they wish to enter the contest.

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It is vacation time. It's a time to get away from the monotony of everyday things and take a mental and physical exercise. As baseball is the national sport, so Chautauqua is the national mental stimulator. Americans have a habit of doing their own thinking. Thus 3,000 or more Chautauquas have sprung up in America as forums for the discussion of the great social and political issues that are in men's minds.

Twenty million people will get under the "big brown tops" this summer. They regard the Chautauqua as a community builder, as a medium for the exchange of ideas and as an opportunity of broadening their outlook.

But the BIG thing about the whole business is the glorious, good time every one has.

Think of five days of music! Here is the list:

First Day—Mrs. Wilbur Starr Concert Party, four talented ladies in a program of ensemble numbers with the violin, cello, flute and piano; also readings in Japanese costumes and child impersonations.

Second Day—Hann's Jubilee Singers in songs of the old plantation and old time darky camp meeting melodies.

Third Day—Emerson Winters Company. Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Winters in a program all their own—bird imitations, piano monologues and stories.

Fourth Day—Pallarin and his band, a band that can follow the big success of last summer's Chautauquas.

Pallarin has appeared in concert in the New York Hippodrome and was bandmaster on the battleship Kansas.

Fifth Day—The Handel Choir, with Miss. Mabelle Wagner-Shank, formerly with Henry W. Savage's operatic forces in New York. Two features stand out, their sacred numbers, sung in choir vestments, and their "Days of '64" sketch, in which they appear in the quaint costumes of the early sixties.

THE LECTURE NUMBERS

There are four great lectures:

First Day—Robert Parker Miles, on "Tallow Dips," newspaper man and world traveler.

Second Day—André Tridon, on "An Inside View of Mexico." He has spent two years in Mexico and went down to live the life of the Mexican and to get the facts about Mexico from the "greaser" as well as the man higher up. He is a French scholar and the author of books in five languages. He has just returned from a two month's trip from Mexico, where he went as Mexican correspondent for the Independent Magazine.

Third Day—A. E. Wiggin, on "Heredity and Human Progress." He discusses a hundred problems that every man and woman has pondered over.

Fifth Day—Wallace Bruce Ambury, on "The Poet Seer of Lockerbie Street," an afternoon with the favorite poet, James Whitcomb Riley.

In addition, J. Franklin Cavey, clay modeler and chalk talker, pronounced by some "greater than Tom Nast."

THE JUNIOR CHAUTAUQUA

Then, too, there is the Junior Chautauqua for boys and girls, a whole story in itself.

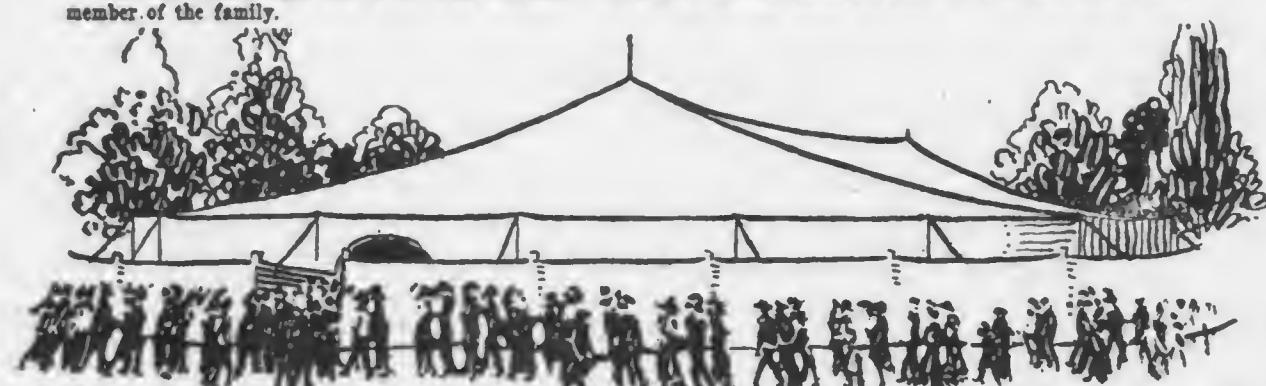
PATRIOTISM THE KEYNOTE

A patriotic hue will run throughout the entire program. The music will ring with patriotism, and a spirit of Americanism will characterize each address to be given.

The Community Chautauquas have always represented the highest ideals and the most vigorous principles of true Americanism, and every town should plan this year to make its assembly a great rallying place of national loyalty and patriotism.

Season Tickets, \$1.50

These are selling right now of the local committee. Only \$1.50 for the entire five days. You'll want one for each member of the family.



Junior Chautauqua Play Leaders



THE above picture shows some of the play leaders employed by the Central Community Chautauqua System in the handling of their large number of Junior Chautauquas this summer. These young women are students in Columbia College, Chicago, and have made a special study of playground work. They have been carefully trained for the important work of the Junior Chautauquas and come thoroughly prepared to give to the young folks a joyful time they will long remember. Their plans include many novel and interesting features that will have a strong appeal to the boys and girls. One of these play leaders will be here throughout the entire Chautauqua. At 9:30 each morning she will conduct the story hour for the

children. One day she will tell "Camp Fire Stories," the next "Favorite Stories of Many Lands," "Colonial Stories" and "Japanese Fairy and Folk Tales." A pageant will be given as the grand climax of the Junior Chautauqua. The play leader will bring special costumes and scenery. She will also have a badge for every child that earns the money to buy his own Chautauqua ticket.

A Chautauqua Feature



THE Mendelsohn Sextette, in several changes of gorgeous costumes, will appear as the closing musical number of the five day local Chautauqua. They will wear Chinese caps and gowns, opera capes, yellow

sport hats and coats, with parasols especially for their use. They were organized and coached by Louis O. Runner of Chicago, organizer of some of the leading musical companies appearing on the Chautauquas, and their music they will present was written especially for their use.

The British War office says that in a very short time the United States will have 100,000 troops in France.

The Kingdom Come Coal Co. has been organized at Whitesburg with a capital stock of \$550,000.

In Shelby county 95 head of Jersey cattle were sold for \$38.570.

An over supply of fish taken in the Baltic rejoices the Germans.

Can Yet Hear Sam Jones Lecture



DENTON C. CROWL.

SAM JONES was the greatest preacher of his day, and he lectured to hundreds of thousands in his long Chautauqua tours. He died a few years ago, but his lectures that moved more than a million persons to think and live better are being given by Denton C. Crows, the second Sam Jones. Ten years ago or more Mr. Crows made arrangements with Mr. Jones by which he was to keep alive the Sam Jones lectures after the latter's death. So well has he done this that eighty Chautauqua committees through Michigan and Illinois last summer pronounced him the best attraction on the Chautauqua program, and in the averages that were made up at the end of the season from committee reports he ranked highest, making 99.6 per cent. Those who have heard Sam Jones say between tears and laughter, "It's just like Sam himself." He gives the same lectures in the Sam Jones style of delivery, varying his subject matter only slightly to cover conditions of today as he believes Sam Jones would handle them. In his appearance here this summer he will present the favorite of the Sam Jones lectures, the lecture that nearly a million persons have paid to hear—"A Medley of Philosophy, Facts and Fun."



A GROUP OF BOYS AND GIRLS IN THE JUNIOR DEPARTMENT AT ONE OF THE COMMUNITY CHAUTAUQUAS.

Liberty Loan Bonds—Patriotic and Safe.

The patriotic nature of an investment in the Liberty Loan Bonds of 1917 is something that all Americans will consider. The fact that in purchasing such a bond the investor is lending his money to his Government—to his country—to prosecute a great war, gives the investment a dignity that the ordinary investment does not possess.

The use to which the money is to be put, the noble purpose to which it is to be devoted, all are things which appeal more or less to the American heart.

But let no one be led by these considerations to look on buying a Liberty Loan Bond as a piece of benevolence or merely a contribution to a worthy cause. The Liberty Loan Bond is as good an investment as an American citizen can well make. The rate of interest it bears may seem small, but when its absolute safety is considered and the fact that it is nontaxable, and the further fact that it is to be immune from any taxes which later on may be levied by reason of this war, and still another fact that in case the world. Honor and interest, patriotism and business judgment later during this war have to borrow more money and pay a

higher rate of interest, that the holders of these bonds can secure bonds bearing that higher rate—when all these things are considered, an investment in Liberty Loan Bonds possesses advantages that no other investment in the world possesses.

There is another point which wise and thoughtful people will give due consideration to and that is an investment in Liberty Loan Bonds is an investment in the defense and preservation of all their other property and all they hold dear—the preservation of all their other property and all they hold dear—the preservation of their liberties. We would be in danger, if all our citizens refused to lend their money to the Government, of losing all that we have—our property, our liberties, and our national honor.

It has come to this, that we must fight for these things, and to wage war in this day and time requires not only men and arms but great sums of money. Subscribers to Liberty Loan

Bonds are charter members of a society to maintain American honor and to maintain democracy here and in other parts of the world. Honor and interest, patriotism and business judgment all argue the wisdom of an investment in Liberty Loan Bonds.

Fashion's Fancies.

Etamine and organdie are combined in one model.

The tunic has quietly stepped into fashion again.

Serge and satin are combined in tailored costumes.

Young girls' evening frocks are still a trifle narrow.

Nearly all the new coats are loosely belted in front.

Yellow and wistaria are fashionable evening shades.

Suede trimmings are seen on the new velour suits.

Many Spanish notions are seen in the new millinery.

Foulard is used a great deal in making summer frocks.

String colored cloth frocks have embroidery in navy blue.

The newest outfit for spring is the frock and the short coat.

A gray military cape lined with yellow is immensely fetching.

Golden bronze is one of the new colors introduced in shoes and frocks.

Keeping up with sweaters is a serious proposition. A new model is made of two colors, one above and the other below the waist line. Sometimes a wide decorative band is used at the bottom.

Admiral Sims' Record.

It is announced that Rear Admiral Wm. S. Sims, U. S. N., now in command of the powerful fleet of American destroyers in European waters, will be advanced to the grade of Vice Admiral, which, in the matter of rank, will put him on an equality with all but the commanders-in-chief of the British and French navies.

Admiral Sims has had a fine training for the important duty he is to discharge as commander of that portion of the American navy that is to operate on the other side of the Atlantic. At the time of the Spanish-American war of 1898, Admiral Sims, then only a Lieutenant, was sent to Paris to superintend purchases for our navy, and he was officially complimented for the character of his work. He speaks French freely and has a wide acquaintance among both French and British naval officers.

In 1902 Admiral Sims was placed in charge of the office of naval practice of the United States navy and he held that post for seven years, earning the reputation of being one of the most scientific gunnery officers in the world. Later he served as president of the Naval War College, as commanding officer of a battleship, and still later as an expert in submarine and torpedo construction.

When the present war began, Admiral Sims was one of several American officers sent abroad by Secretary Daniels to study the naval operations on the other side. He has been there almost all the time that the war has been in progress and is considered one of the most highly trained and efficient officers in our navy.—Louisville Post.

Stomach Troubles and Constipation.

"I will cheerfully say that Chamberlain's Tablets are the most satisfactory remedy for stomach troubles and constipation that I have sold in thirty-four years' drug store service," writes S. H. Murphy, druggist, Wellsville, N. Y. Obtainable at Paull Drug Co.